

MINUTES OF THE  
GEORGIA COMPOSITE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS, SOCIAL  
WORKERS AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS - February 17, 2012

A Conference Call meeting of the Georgia Composite Board of Professional Counselors, Social Workers and Marriage and Family Therapists was held on Friday, February 17, 2012 at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia with the following members present:

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Ben P. Marion, CSW, MFT, Vice-Chair  
William C. Bacon, MFT  
Steve Livingston, MFT  
Tommy Black, LPC  
Tonya Barbee, CSW  
Robert King, CSW

**MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Bonnie Barker, LPC, Chair  
Jack Perryman, LPC  
Richard Long, MFT  
Eunice Mixon, Consumer Member

**ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF PRESENT:**

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director  
Tricia Downing, Senior Assistant Attorney General  
Amanda M. Allen, Board Support Specialist

**Ben Marion, Vice-Chair, established a quorum of the Board was present and called the Conference Call meeting to order at 10:05 a.m.**

**Agenda:**           Approved as presented

**Rule Waiver/Variance Petition Request:**

- Louis Stanley Kalin Jr., – Board Rule 135-6-.04 Revocation of Expired Licenses and Reinstatement of Expired Licenses

**Black motioned, King seconded, and the Board voted to grant the petition for variance/waiver request; reinstate license. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Rule Discussion:**

The rules committee meeting followed the adjournment of the full Board conference call meeting. To discuss proposed amendments to be presented to the full Board at a later date and time for consideration:

- Rule 135-5-.01 Requirements for Licensure as an Associate Professional Counselor
- Rule 135-6-.04 Revocation of Expired Licenses and Reinstatement of Expired Licenses
- Rule 135-6-.06 Inactive Status

**With no additional Board business requiring discussion, the conference call adjourned at 10:45 a.m.**

**Minutes recorded by:**

Amanda M. Allen, Board Support Specialist

**Minutes reviewed and edited by:**

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director

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Ben Marion, Vice-Chair

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These minutes were signed and approved on: March 09, 2012